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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:)	CONFIRMATION NO.: 3997
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For: METHOD OF CLEANING HEAT TREATMENT APPARATUS		

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF SEPTEMBER 16, 2008

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in reply to the Office Action of September 16, 2008. No further amendments have been made to the claims hereby.